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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q80153

Takuya KADOTA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/787,147

Group Art Unit: 1756

Confirmation No.: 4628

Examiner: Mark A. Chapman

Filed: February 27, 2004

For: TONER AND IMAGE-FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 24, 2006.

Applicants elect Invention I, claims 1-4, for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 5-8.

Respectfully submitted,

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